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WEATHER for Kentucky
Thursday probably fair.

HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1917.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

There will be no declaration of war against Austria for the present.

On a call for 500,000 men, Kentucky would furnish 10 or 12 regiments.

Single men will be called first and young men who don't want to go, would do well to marry while marrying is good.

Miss Margaret Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, will appear in Louisville the night of April 24 in a song recital for the benefit of the American Red Cross.

Gov. Stanley has appointed Murray C. Shoun, a senior student in Centre College, who will graduate in June, as Colonel on his staff. Times are getting too serious for child's play in the war game, Governor.

Congress will face the task shortly of raising \$3,000,000,000 to meet the initial expenses of United States participation in war. Incomes and excess profits probably will bear the burden. It is planned to lower the exemption on incomes of unmarried men to \$1,000 and married men to \$2,000 and double the rate.

Senator Lodge seems to have knocked some sense into the head of the pacifist named Bannwart when he knocked him down. Bannwart appeared in police court and said he had changed his mind after reading the President's message and was ready to urge support of the President. The breach of peace charge against him was dropped.

Owensboro is getting a great deal of unpleasant notoriety over a "jay walking" ordinance recently passed, which prohibits any pedestrian from crossing a street diagonally. It is strongly resented by the public generally and especially by the "jays" themselves, who are made the butt of endless jokes. Nearly 50 fines have been imposed in trying to enforce the obnoxious ordinance.

Uncle Sam wrote his check for \$25,000,000 and took over the Danish islands Saturday. They are directly east of Porto Rico. With the formal transfer, the islands became known as the Virgin Islands of the United States, a designation chosen by the natives of the islands and adopted by the United Government. In all there are fifty islands, only three large enough to be of importance. St. Thomas is the most important and has one of the finest harbors in the West Indies. The harbor will be transformed into a strong naval base by the United States for the protection of the Panama Canal and for general military purposes. St. Croix and St. John are the other two large islands.

EWING WOOD

A Well Known Young Man Passed Away Tuesday.

Ewing Wood died at noon Tuesday at his home on West Seventh street, from a complication of diseases. He had been ill for some time and his death was not unexpected.

He was thirty-six years of age and is survived by his wife and two sons, Ben and Harris; his mother, Mrs. Helen Wood; two sisters, Mrs. Sallie Warfield and Mrs. Joe Day, and three brothers, Weston, George and Bowlin Wood.

Burial took place Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock from the residence. Funeral services were held at the grave in Riverside cemetery by the Rev. T. L. Hulse, of the Methodist church.

FLEENOR-EWING.

Mr. C. M. Fleenor, the well known architect of Bowling Green, was married Tuesday to Miss Inez Ewing, of Smith's Grove. Mr. Fleenor formerly lived in this city.

The I. C. Railroad has been sued for \$20,000 for the killing of Everett

TO CALL FIRST QUOTA BY LOT FROM ELIGIBLE LIST

Administration Plan to Be Submitted to Congress Calls For Army of 500,000.

500,000 IS NOT THE LIMIT

Married Men and Others With Dependents Will Be Exempted.

Washington, April 4.—Administration plans for raising an army on the principle of universal liability to service, to be submitted to congress as soon as the pending war resolution is adopted, are based on selective conscription of young men to be summoned to the colors as rapidly as they can be trained and officered. A detailed scheme for the registration of eligibles has been worked out.

After married men, others with dependents, and those whose service is required in industries have been exempted, others within the age limits fixed will be examined physically, and those found fit will be selected possibly by lot until the first 500,000 to be trained are secured.

It was made clear that the 500,000 is nowhere near the limit needed, and that it is thought more than 500,000 available will be found in the first classification. Others will be trained as rapidly as possible by officers of the regular army, national guard and officers reserve corps.

Maximum and minimum age limits for the first call are fixed in the administration plan but will not be made public until it is presented to congress. In recent discussions a minimum of 18 years and a maximum of 23 years have been mentioned.

WILL GRADUATE FIRST CLASS APRIL 20.

Preliminary military steps possible under existing laws were added today to those already taken. They include direction by Secretary Baker that the first class at the West Point military academy be graduated April 20, supplying 125 highly trained young officers.

At the navy department it was announced that steps have already been taken to secure close co-operation between the American fleet and those of the Entente allies when the necessary authority has been granted. The American embassy at London has been in close touch with the British admiralty.

Standardization of the munitions industry will be one of the first direct steps taken under direction of the national defense council. A continuous and adequate flow of weapons and ammunition of all kinds will be insured not only for the American forces but to the Entente armies.

Congress is expected to pass the resolution declaring a state of war to exist, not later than tomorrow. A short debate is expected and sentiment in both houses is almost unanimous. The following program is outlined:

IMPORTANT WAR PLANS.

"1. Enlistment by selective conscription of young men for a national army in addition to the regular establishment and national guard increments of 500,000 until enough have been trained to make certain the defeat of Germany.

"2. Organization of nation's commercial interests for economical and effective distribution of commodities among the civil population.

"3. Rapid provision of adequate means of combating the submarine menace.

"4. The raising of a very large sum of money, as much as possible to be obtained by taxation, and the definite amount of the first budget not to be fixed until the exact needs of the army and navy and the entente allies are ascertained.

"5. Purchase of supplies and equipment of all kinds for the army and a provision of law which all

COURT READY TO WIND UP

Bunch of Prisoners Convicted Left For Eddyville Yesterday.

Little of note is happening in Circuit Court this week, only the winding up of the docket preparatory to adjournment.

Yesterday Feland Clark and Otis Rhea left for Eddyville in charge of the five prisoners who had been sentenced to the penitentiary. Among the prisoners was Dock Bond, who had been sentenced to five years for cutting constable T. S. Winfree. The other prisoners were Tom Poole, who was sentenced to one year; Nathaniel Coleman got three years; Pink Sazzells, one year, and Miles McKnight, one year.

Low Johnson left for Lexington with Eugene Campbell, who was sentenced to the State reformatory at that place.

INCREASED SHIPMENT

The Egg Circle Ship Three Hundred and Ninety Dozen This Week.

On Tuesday afternoon the Christian County Egg Circle made its third shipment of eggs. The ladies of the Circle are much pleased with the progress made, as the shipment shows an increase of from 210 dozen last week to 390 dozen, or 13 full crates, this week.

Mrs. G. H. Stowe, the president of the circle, requests that on the next shipping day the members bring their eggs on time. The hours for receiving the eggs will be from 1 o'clock to 3 o'clock, and all members are asked to provide themselves with egg crates so as to save both time and trouble and lessen the danger of breakage.

NEW OFFICERS

Elks Hold Installation Ceremonies Tuesday Night.

The new officers of the Hopkinsville Lodge, No. 545 B. O. O. F., were installed Tuesday night, by Hon. J. Elliot Baker, of Princeton.

The officers installed were as follows:

Exalted Ruler—J. S. Slaughter.

Esteemed Leading Knight—Ira D. Smith.

Esteemed Loyal Knight—John Breathitt.

Esteemed Lecturing Knight—B. O. McReynolds.

Secretary—T. C. Underwood.

Treasurer—Bailey Russell.

Esquire—T. L. Morrow.

Tiler—Ed. J. Duncan.

OFFICERS WANTED.

The grade of Second Lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps of the army has been thrown open by Secretary Baker to men without any military experience whatever, provided they are physically and mentally adapted to military life. An urgent plea has been sent out to men between 21 and 32 years all over the country to send in applications for commissions with assurances that the army will supply after enrollment the military training necessary to fit them for duty.

price.

"6. Division of the young men of the country into service classes, those needed more in industries than in the army to receive insignia they are performing duty

JOB BECOMES PERMANENT

Postmaster Jos. E. Moseley Now a Fixture In His Office.

UNDER CIVIL SERVICE Next Postmaster Must Win In a Competitive Examination.

J. E. MOSELEY.

By reason of the executive order issued by President Wilson on Saturday last, all incumbent postmasters of the first, second and third classes were placed under civil service, and will so remain as long as their offices show up with good records.

The order automatically ends the term-system and incumbents hold office until vacancies are created by removal, death or resignation. Joseph E. Moseley, the present Hopkinsville postmaster, was appointed on the recommendation of Congressman A. G. Stanley near the close of his term in March 1915. The salary of the office is \$2000.

Postmaster Moseley is in receipt of an official copy of the executive order signed by President Wilson, which reads as follows:

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

"Hereafter when a vacancy occurs in the position of postmaster of any office of the first or second or third class as the result of death, resignation, removal, or, on the recommendation of the first assistant postmaster general, approved by the postmaster general, to the effect that the efficiency or needs of the service require that a change shall be made, the postmaster general shall certify the fact to the civil-service commission, which shall forthwith hold an open competitive examination to test the fitness of applicants to fill such vacancy, and when such examination has been held and the papers in connection therewith have been rated, the said commission shall certify the result thereof to the postmaster general, who shall submit to the President the name of the highest qualified eligible for appointment to fill such vacancy, unless it is established that the character or residence of such applicant disqualifies him for appointment. No person who has passed his sixty-sixth birthday shall be given the examination herein provided for."

BURLESON'S STATEMENT.

Postmaster General Burleson made this statement about the order:

"Incumbent postmasters rendering good service and who continue to administer the affairs of their offices with ability, will not be disturbed in such offices by any recommendation made by the head of the department. It is due them, however, at this time to make it clear that hereafter supervisory officials of the department will be more exacting in the enforcement of those postal rules and regulations which make for increased efficiency, and postmasters will not only be expected to devote their time during office hours to a proper administration of their respective offices, but they will be required to thoroughly acquaint themselves with the various postal activities under their charge, and in the future to occupy such part of their time not properly given to administrative work to the performance

ALMOST BEG FOR PEACE

But Still Claim Not To Have Been Conquered.

GERMANY BACKS AUSTRIA

Lokal Anzeiger Says Enemies Will Be Offered Peace Worthy of All Parties.

London, April 4.—The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger's article concerning the proposal of the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister that a peace conference be held by the belligerents, as reproduced by the Rheinische Westfälische Zeitung of Essen, a copy of which has been received here, says:

"The standpoint taken by the Berlin and Vienna governments is shared also, it need hardly be said, by the governing circles of Sophia and Constantinople and will be shortly given emphasis by a visit to Germany of a highly placed personage from the dual monarchy.

"More unbroken and more firmly we stand on all fronts and more conscious do we feel of our power to persist to the end; better are we able with head erect to offer our enemies a peace worthy of all parties for the immense sacrifices they have made in this war.

"Should our enemies now show themselves unwilling to grasp this opportunity for preparing to end the bloodshed and for restoring peace to the people of Europe, they will act on their own responsibility. We are prepared to hold out. On that there is only one opinion in our quadruple alliance."

At Elks Lodge, With Pledge to President and Flag Unfurled.

The Hopkinsville lodge of Elks Monday night met in special session and enthusiastically adopted the following resolution, which was promptly wired to President Wilson:

"Distinctively an American order and standing for all things American, the Hopkinsville Elks lodge tenders to you our heartiest support, one country, one flag and one president. We pledge our faith in you, knowing the stars and stripes shall protect the honor, lives and property of Americans on land and sea. We believe a state of war with Germany actually exists and that congress should so declare."

Enthusiastic and patriotic speeches were made by Exalted Ruler Vego E. Barnes, Robt. A. Cook, Nat F. Dortch, Col. Jouett Henry, W. A. Hancock, S. J. Smith, C. R. Clark, Ira D. Smith, Chas. M. Meacham, Nick Stadelman, Joe S. Slaughter and others.

A committee was appointed to purchase and unfurl a national flag from the Elks Home building. The committee consists of W. M. Hancock, Nat F. Dortch and S. J. Smith.

HOPKINSVILLE BOY Dies While Holding A Position In Washington.

Bassett Elgin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elgin, of Madisonville, died in Washington, D. C., Monday night after a short illness, of spinal meningitis. He was about twenty-six years of age and for some time had held a responsible position in the Treasury department at Washington. His mother, Miss Inez Elgin, was with him during his illness.

Mr. Elgin was born in Hopkinsville,

ORATORICAL CONTESTANT

John Hanbery Is Chosen To Represent Hopkinsville High School.

FROM 4 CONTESTANTS Preliminary Contest At Methodist Church Monday Night.

Monday night at the new Methodist Church, the tenth preliminary oratorical contest was held. The High School Orchestra furnished the music for the occasion and the selections were highly appreciated by the audience, especially a cornet solo rendered by John Henderson. A large crowd was present and showed great interest in the speeches of the young orators. Each speaker covered himself with glory and it can be said without fear of contradiction that this contest was the best held here in recent years. The speakers were introduced in impressive fashion by Mr. James Higgins, a member of the senior class. After the last speaker had delivered his oration, the grades of the judges were collected and the averages were made out. The honor of representing the High School at Paducah in the Western Kentucky Oratorical Contest fell on Mr. Hanbery, whose subject was, "The Call Of America." Mr. Hanbery is a member of this year's senior class and his class mates are proud of him. He delivered his speech in a forceful and impressive fashion. He has a very pleasing voice and his speech is such that it will hold the attention of any audience.

"Should our enemies now show themselves unwilling to grasp this opportunity for preparing to end the bloodshed and for restoring peace to the people of Europe, they will act on their own responsibility. We are prepared to hold out. On that there is only one opinion in our quadruple alliance."

The contest will be held on the fourth of May and already preparations are being made for a large delegation to accompany Mr. Hanbery to that city. The High School feels that Hopkinsville has a speaker who can hold his own with anybody that the other schools of this section of the state can send against him. This year the contest will have a new feature, in that there will be two contests, one for boys and one for girls. The young lady selected to represent the school this year is Miss Flora Rawls and since this is the first year that there has been a chance for one school to win two medals at one time the Hopkinsville High school will do its utmost to have that unique honor. Miss Rawls was the only contestant among the girls and so she did not deliver her address at the church, but sometime in the near future she will give her oration in the High School chapel so that the people of the town can have the opportunity of hearing the speech that we hope will be better than that delivered by any other girl in Western Kentucky this year.

Following were the subjects and speakers:

Oration, "The New South"..... Henry Abernathy

Oration, "Dreams"..... Wallace Henderson

Oration, "The Call Of America"..... John Hanbery

Oration, "True Patriotism"..... Ben King Harmed

The judges were Rev. G. C. Abbott, Rev. F. F. Walters and Lieut. A. H. Clark.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 5

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce
WILLIAM R. HOWELL,
of Christian county, as a candidate
for the Democratic nomination for the
State Senate from the District com-
posed of Christian and Hopkins coun-
ties. Subject to the August primary.

We don't have to be neutral any
longer. Be patriotic Americans.

Senator Lodge knocked down a pa-
cifist named Bannwart, who called
him a coward, in the Senate corrdor
Monday.

Grace Cunard, Mary Pickford and
Alice Joyce are all Mrs. Moore, when
off the stage. Grace is now honey-
mooning with Joe Moore in San Fran-
cisco.

The British have now reached Gaza,
in Palestine, the city where Samson
carried away the gates of the city on
his shoulders, as told in the sixteenth
chapter of Judges.

With 429 of the 433 living members
elected to the House present, one
Democrat and one Republican
having died, and 3 Republicans and 1
Democrat being absent, Speaker
Clark received 217 votes, 213 Dem-
ocrats and 4 Independents, and Mann,
Republican, received 205 votes and
there were 6 scattering votes.

All of the government's 500,000 ci-
villian employees, including postmasters,
as well as state and municipal officers
everywhere, are called upon to take
part in a nation-wide spy hunt. The
season will be open till the war ends.
Cognizance is to be taken of all un-
patriotic language, or criticisms of the
government. One of the first jobs of
the navy will be to see after the See
Alder.

Representative Jeanette Rankin, of
Montana, the first woman member of
congress, took her seat in the house
Monday. Her entrance was signal-
ized by uproarious applause. Every
member on the floor and everybody
in the galleries rose as she walked
down the hall with Representative
Adams, of Montana. She carried one
of a score of bouquets which had come
to her office. She wore no hat and
was attired in dark blue. Members
rushed from all parts of the hall and
congratulated her.

"With a profound sense of the sol-
emn and even tragical character of
the step I am taking and of the grave
responsibilities which it involves, but
in unhesitating obedience to what I
deem my constitutional duty, I advise
that the congress declare the recent
course of the imperial German gov-
ernment to be in fact nothing less
than war against the government and
people of this United States; that it
formally accept the status of belliger-
ent which has thus been thrust upon
it, and that it take immediate steps
not only to put the country in a more
thorough state of defense, but also to
exert all its power and employ all its
resources to bring the government out
of the German empire to terms and end
the war."—President Woodrow Wil-
son.

**Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S,
CASTORIA**

HOW SEDALIA GOT ITS NAME

Gen. George R. Smith Gave the Town
Its Pleasing Cognomen in Honor
of His Young Daughter.

The city of Sedalia was both found-
ed and named by Gen. George R.
Smith, who was a distinguished citizen
of Missouri during the years of the
Civil war and the periods immediately
before and after that struggle. He
was a Virginian by birth and a Ken-
tuckian by upbringing; as a young man
he came to Missouri and settled at
Georgetown, which is three miles north
of the present city of Sedalia. He
was prominent both in politics and
business and was instrumental in the
building of the Missouri Pacific rail-
way from St. Louis to Kansas City
during the '50s of the last century.
He could not induce his fellow
townsmen to make the necessary ef-
fort to have the railway pass through
Georgetown, and, foreseeing that that
would condemn the village to decay,
he bought a large tract of land beside
the railway tracks and laid out a town-
site there, from which in course of
time has grown the flourishing city of
Sedalia.

When it came to furnishing a name
for the new settlement, General Smith
determined to christen it Sedville, in
honor of his younger daughter Sarah,
whose pet name in the family circle
was "Sed." One of his friends, Josiah
Dent of St. Louis, suggested that
"ville" was a commonplace termina-
tion, and that Sedalia would be a more
beautiful and unusual name. General
Smith approved of the suggestion, and
Sedalia came officially into being when
he and his family, the first inhabitants
of the new town, moved thither in
1859.—*Youth's Companion.*

WHERE SAND IS MONARCH

Majesty of the Desert Must Be Seen
Before Its Savage Beauty Can
Be Appreciated.

The desert whispered to itself before
man ever trod it, but now it takes his
accent, for beneath a leaning sign-post
at the end of an old worn track lie the
bleaching bones of a horse and far
along on the self-same trail is an
empty whisky bottle. Poor weapon
with which to fight you, desert!

And you have your own forms of
tiny insect life that burrow in your
sands, and you are framed in wild and
savage beauty, for where the winter
snows of the Sierras are poured upon
your glittering yellow bosom, the
creeks that carry those clear ley wa-
ters are banked with cottonwoods and
tall green grasses, while on your other
side lie other mountains, stern and
cold and dead, that hold the treasures
of a thousand cities within their
gloomy canyons. The tiny holes and
puny tracks that man has made upon
those mighty ridges are but as ants'
work in a dusty road, and in the space
of one man's little life the monuments
to human evolution, of brain and high
endeavor, will all be gently, surely
wiped away. This is not done by you
in savage anger, but slowly and inex-
orably, yet surely us the drifting of
your sands—and yet not quite.

There is one trivial thing outlasts
man's nobler monuments; a thing of
interest to the burro's eye, a keen re-
minder of some vanished epoch, a sym-
bol of man's economic art, perchance
the savior of some desert wanderer's
life—an old tomato can!—Exchange.

Dog Leather for Shoes.

The streets of Arznavir, in the south
of Russia, are as much the home of
numerous stray dogs as was Constanti-
nople only a few years ago. These
dogs, as in the Turkish capital, play
the part of sanitary scavengers when
the town council forgets its functions.
But the growing need of leather stim-
ulated an official of Arznavir to the
suggestion that the hides of dogs could
be utilized in the making of shoes for
the poor pupils in the schools. The
plan was eagerly accepted.

More than 800 stray dogs were
caught, and already most of the skins
have been tanned at a factory in Vol-
govodsk. It has been estimated that it
costs about 50 cents to tan each skin,
from which five or six tops for boots
can be cut.

The leather is being used without
dyeing, so that the shoes are a bright
yellow in color. The Arznavir council
has thus provided at least 3,000 school
children with cheap footwear.

"**Nobody Loves a Fat Man.**"
"In Denver," says a member of the
bar, "a large, fat man was suing a
little, skeleton-like individual, who had
a bad, hacking cough."

"The case had been given to the
jury, which had been out half an hour.
On the evidence and the instructions
the big man had won the case. The
jury was called and filed out into the
courtroom.

"Have you reached a verdict?" asked
the Judge.

"No, your honor," said the foreman.
"We only want to know which is the
defendant and which is the plaintiff."

"The large man sitting over there
is the plaintiff, and the small man here
is the defendant," replied the Judge.

"The jury filed back to the juryroom,
In a few minutes they signified that
they had reached a verdict. The Judge
received it and read:

"We, the jury, find for the man with
consumption."

Soft Job.
Hannah—I hear you-all's got a fine
job up to Mrs. Calvert's.
Chlorinda—Yes, Miss Hannah, I've
got a danch. All I has ter do is ter
rush around one of dem newfangled

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture
Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Abie, of
this place, writes: "My husband is an
engineer, and once while lifting, he in-
jured himself with a piece of heavy
machinery, across the abdomen. He was
so sore he could not bear to press on
himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He
weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he
weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked
like he would die. We had three different
doctors, yet with all their medicine, his
bowels failed to act. He would turn up a
ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink
it two or three days in succession. He
did this yet without result. We became
desperate, he suffered so. He was swol-
len terribly. He told me his suffering
could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Thedford's Black-
Draught. I made him take a big dose,
and when it began to act he fainted, he
was in such misery, but he got relief and
began to mend at once. He got well,
and we both feel he owes his life to
Thedford's Black-Draught."

Thedford's Black-Draught will help you
to keep fit, ready for the day's work.
Try it!

The KITCHEN CABINET

I believe in gittin' as much good
outer life as you kin—not that I ever
set out to look for happiness; seems
like the folks that does, never finds it.
I jes' do the best I kin where the Good
Lord put me at, an' it looks like I got
a happy feelin' in me most all the
time—Mrs. Wiggs.

MORE USES OF LEFT OVERS.

If a cereal, boiled rice or cornmeal
mush or macaroni, any one or a com-
bination of two are left over, line a butter-
ed bowl with the mixture, fill with
seasoned meat, cover with a little
cereal and steam half an hour, then
turn out on a hot platter and serve
with any desired sauce or a gravy.

Any small bits of fowl may be finely
minced and seasoned with onion, par-
ley, grated lemon rind or a nutmeg,
chopped green pepper, all of these or
season to taste. Put into shells made
of mashed potato and brown in the
oven.

A salad is a fine dish to prepare
from left overs as fruit, vegetables,
meat, fish or fowl can all be used in a
salad. A few string beans, a little
onion juice, corn, tomatoes or celery
with a salad dressing will make a good
combination. Any small amounts of
cream may be used as cake filling for
shortening for all kinds of hot breads
and cakes as well as puddings and if a
larger amount is at hand may be
whipped into a small pat of butter
which will be a most appetizing mor-
sel, especially for an invalid.

Small bits of left-over bacon stirred
into a hot breakfast cereal and put
into a mold may be fried for breakfast
the next morning.

If a little macaroni and cheese has
been left over, butter a baking dish,
add a layer of the macaroni and a
sprinkling of chopped meat, a little
onion and a bit of tomato if at hand,
another layer of macaroni, add a little
meat gravy or soup stock to moisten
and bake until hot. Buttered crumbs
on the top adds to the dish and bake
until they are brown.

A saucer of baked beans is not
enough to serve the family, but they
may be added to a little stock or made
into a bean soup. One nice method
followed by one family when there are
several small bits of different foods
left over is to reheat and serve as
they are, placing them on a tray, and
each one takes that which pleases him
best.

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Of Taffeta, Crepedechine and Georgette Crepes; plain and fancy shirred effects; large collars and sleeves of Georgette; handsomely embroidered. All the season's wanted shades. Also a beautiful line of silk sport dresses.

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If we happen not to have just what you want in stock we gladly take your measures and have your suit made to order by best tailors in America.

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These are the styles that will lead in the promenade on Easter Sunday—with no "after effects."

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Shoe manufacturers have answered the garment authorities by producing the handsomest styles in footwear that have "ever" been shown. This in spite of the leather market. All that's fashionable is here—Patent leathers, Gunmetal, Dull Kid and the smart colored kid skins.

Usually the Easter promenade has its "after effects." The walk makes quite an impression on the feet. Not if you select your shoes here.

ATTENTION
TO FARMERS
Kentucky State Fair Offers
\$700 In Prizes For Best
Display of Agricultural
Products.

Frankfort, Ky., April 4.—The Kentucky State Fair, believing that the purpose and intent of its organization was to benefit, foster, build up and advance the agricultural development and interest in this State, will offer this year prizes totalling seven hundred (\$700.00) dollars, for the best display of agricultural products, including grains, hay, feeds, forages, straw, tobacco, hemp, vegetables, fruits, (fresh, canned and preserved), honey, syrups, sugars, cured meats, poultry products, dairy products, and all other agricultural products, which may be produced in any county in Kentucky during the year 1917.

Prizes will be divided as follows:
\$250.00 to the county winning first prize.
\$150.00 to the county winning second prize.
\$100.00 to the county winning third prize.

The county winning first prize will also receive a sterling silver championship cup costing \$100.00.

While another \$100.00 is set apart to be divided as follows: \$50.00 to the first, \$30.00 to the second, and \$20.00 to the third, to be given to the representatives of the respecting winning counties working up the exhibits.

The awards will be made by three (3) disinterested, competent judges, and the considerations governing the awards will be quality and quantity of exhibits, and taste displayed in the arrangement of the exhibition of same.

All products for this exhibit must be started to the Kentucky State Fair, either in wagon or by train, and not later than Wednesday, September 5, 1919, to be arranged and ready for the judging at noon of Saturday, September 8th. No exhibit, or any portion of an exhibit, not started to the Kentucky State Fair by Wednesday, September 5th, will be considered in the judging of the same. This should enable all interior counties, or couples from a remote distance from the Kentucky State Fair grounds to compete on the same terms, conditions and footing as those counties lying nearer to the Kentucky State Fair grounds. If necessary, the Member in Charge may require an affidavit setting forth the date of cutting, removing or starting of any products exhibited in this class to the Kentucky State Fair.

As a suggestion—I advise any one in any county, who contemplates his county being represented in this contest, to insist on several farmers in each section of the county to prepare and grow the same products for this special exhibition. In other words, say six farmers grow potatoes (both Irish and sweet), six farmers grow hay, six grow grain, and so on until arrangements have been made for the growing of all kinds of products for this wonderful display.

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We have this harness in 5 styles, as described below. Come in and examine the harness and see if you don't think they are great bargains. We do not expect to ever see such low prices again.

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12 SETS OF SINGLE HARNESS.

Nickel, Brass or Imitation Rubber Trimmed. Box Loops throughout. Blind or open Bridle.
BREAST COLLAR—Curved $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide.
LINES—7x1 inch Black and Tan hand parts. 3 inch single strap Leather Bottom Swell Pad; flexible saddle.
BREECHING— $1\frac{1}{2}$ in.— $\frac{1}{2}$ Turnback, $\frac{1}{2}$ in. Hold Backs, $\frac{1}{2}$ Hip Straps.
Would sell regularly for \$19.00
Sale price complete with Snaps, Pad and Hitch Rein \$13.75

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12 SETS HEAVY SINGLE STRAP HARNESS.

Nickel, Brass or Imitation Rubber Trimmed. Box Loops throughout. Blind or open Bridle.
BREAST COLLAR—Heavy curved $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. wide; $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. single strap Traces.
LINES—1 in. x $1\frac{1}{2}$ spring billet ends.
SADDLE—Solid Harness Leather; very heavy.
BREECHING— $1\frac{1}{2}$ Body; $\frac{1}{2}$ solid waved turn back; $\frac{1}{2}$ hold backs, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch Hip Straps.
Can't be duplicated for less than \$22.50
Sale price complete as above \$16.75

Lot No. 3

10 SETS EXTRA HEAVY SINGLE STRAP HARNESS

Nickel, Brass or Imitation Rubber Trim. Box loops throughout.
BRIDLE—Heavy $\frac{1}{2}$ Blind with $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. overcheck.
BREAST COLLAR—Extra heavy 3 in. curved; $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. trace.
LINES—1 in. x $1\frac{1}{2}$ Spring Billet.
SADDLE—3 in. solid harness leather saddle or $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. break saddle with sliding back band.
BREECHING— $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. body; heavy reverse turnback; 1 in. hold backs; heavy forked doubled hip straps, $\frac{1}{2}$ in.
A dandy harness for heavy work or break harness.
Price should be at least \$25.00
This sale complete as above \$18.75

Lot No. 4

ONLY SIX SETS KENTUCKY BREAK HARNESS Extra Heavy.

BRIDLE—Extra heavy blind hidde and overcheck.
LINES—Very heavy $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. throughout.
BREAST COLLAR—Very strong $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. curved with $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. trace.
SADDLE—Heavy break with running back band; heavy tugs and belly band to match; solid nickel or brass drop turrets.
BREECHING—2 in. body; double reverse turnback, double split hips and heavy hold backs.
This harness is heavy enough for very hard use.
If bought now would sell for \$30.00
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Any of the above Harness may be had in COLLAR and HAMES less collar at the same price.
This sale only continues until stock is sold, and none of this stock sold with buggies.
Also do not overlook the fact that we have by far the largest stock of WAGON HARNESS, RIDING SADDLES and PLOW GEAR in this section of the country, much of which we are selling at less than today's cost of the raw material in the goods.

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There has been nothing new discovered for corns since "Gets-It" was born. It's the new way—the common-sense, simple, sure way.

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Sold in Hopkinsville and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by L. L. ELGIN.

ENTERTAINMENT SATURDAY NIGHT

At Crofton Promises to Be One of Best of The Season.

Crofton is preparing for one of the biggest Old Time Fiddlers' contests ever held in Western Kentucky. The entertainment will be given Saturday night, April 7, and the proceeds will be used in making some repairs on the Universalist church at that place. About two dozen musicians are expected, three or four counties being represented, and the occasion promises to be most enjoyable. Hopkinsville will be well represented. Prizes will be awarded in several contests. The program will be interspersed with some new and catchy specialties.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. M. M. Shipp has rented the Hale cottage on South Main street and will move into it this week.

Mrs. Emma Smock and daughter, Miss Fannie, of Hodgenville, who were guests of Mrs. Anna Fairleigh, have returned home.

Jailer D. C. Kees, of Logan county, died Friday.

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Thursday Night, April 5th at
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An entertainment for the benefit of the Epworth League will be given at the M. E. church tonight. The program follows:

The Lord's Prayer.

"Looking Backward" Speech
Fiddlers—Messrs. W. F. Randle, T. E. Bartley, S. T. Fruitt, Harry Carroll and S. E. Yancey.

Song Ballad "Molly Darling"
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Little Business

The City Commissioners held their regular weekly meeting Tuesday, and allowed the usual accounts and transacted very little other business.

Three more steamers were sunk by submarines and 112 lives are believed to have been lost. All were British steamships.

The steamer Golden Girl and the barge Jumbo were burned at Owensboro Saturday night. Loss \$5,800.

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Among those who spoke George Ledebour, socialist democratic leader, is quoted as saying:

"History is now marching in seven league boots. The German people indeed show wonderful patience. The Reichstag must have the right to a

voice in making alliances, peace treaties, and declaring war. The imperial chancellor must be dismissed when the Reichstag demands."

Shouts of "high treason" interrupted his speech. He also said: "We regard a republic as the coming inevitable development in Germany."

Turks Heavy Losers.

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AN UNSENT LETTER

By SUSAN E. CLAGETT.

Jim Chapman started as the front door slammed, then he muttered in exasperation:

"To think I should have come to this from a little touch of fever! Nerves! I thought I had no nerves."

As a matter of fact, it had been a severe attack of typhoid, with so lingering a convalescence that his physician ordered him to return to the empty old house in New England that had been his boyhood home, if he wished to regain his strength.

To the last he had protested, but without avail, and now he had been in the New England village for a week, literally confined to the house, as he had broken his ankle upon his own doorstep.

Seated in his sitting room he looked helplessly around as doors and window blinds banged.

"Where in the devil is William? That fellow is never where he's wanted. I'll—"

"Will I answer?" a pleasant voice asked, and without waiting for a reply a blue-gowned figure crossed the room, hastily secured the blinds and closed the windows.

"I saw William ahead of me as I was blown through your front door. He had something in his arms that was giving him trouble. Here he is. Good gracious!"

Jim turned his head as his man came into the room carrying a kicking, squirming bundle, which he put hastily down.

"Sure, Mr. Jim, I hope you'll never send me again for such a little tiger cat."

"I ain't no tiger cat," came with a suppressed sob from the small being on the hearth rug.

Jim looked at the child with curious resentment, but Miss Hill, who had been listening in undisguised amazement, came forward. "Of course not, dear. Jim and William were just trying to be funny." As she talked she had removed the child's wraps and now lifted her to her lap.

"Oh! I want my daddy. I want my daddy! He didn't call me 'tiger cat,'" and the child burrowed her head in the lace at Miss Hill's throat.

The two grown-ups looked at each other in silence as she sobbed herself into a heavy sleep. Then only did Kate Hill speak.

"What is it all about, Jim?"

He silently handed her a letter and she read:

"Dear Jim: When this reaches you I will have passed into the unknown country. Because of the closeness of our friendship I am sending you the delight of my heart. Her mother is dead, and she has not a relative in the world. I leave a little property that is well invested, sufficient for her needs. Am too tired now to write more. Yours, TOM."

"Poor little Wolf!" she said softly. "I would take her home with me, but I am going away this afternoon. I can help you, however. My housekeeper's sister has lost her child. She needs a home and will suit you. I will send her over."

"Thank you. Did you say you are going away? The thought that I should find you when this confounded ankle lets me get about has been the one comfort I have had throughout this lonely week. We used to have some pleasant days together, and I hoped we might return to them. I will be your neighbor for many months, and the sooner we forget the years that lie between now and then the better."

"We will talk about it when I come back," she replied evasively.

She stood beside him for an instant laughing down into his gloomy face. "Perhaps, Jim, I may not stay as long as I had intended," she said, and with these words she left the room.

To his surprise she returned within ten days, returned in a storm that broke in torrents of rain as she neared Jim Chapman's gate. As on that first day, she ran up the walk and into the house. Looking into the sitting room, she saw Jim move slowly toward the window. On the floor the child was gathering up stray leaves of what looked like a manuscript, and in her lap was a bundle of letters. Kate turned to Jim with a smile:

"It is to be hoped Mrs. Grundy has been driven to the back of her house by the storm, else my reputation may suffer. To be blown twice within a fortnight through your doorway, Jim, is certainly food for gossip."

"I want the pretty lady to read to me," a small voice interrupted. "Read this," she said persuasively, holding out a letter.

Kate picked the child up and took the letter from her. "Why, this is addressed to me," she exclaimed.

Jim gave a start and glanced toward the drawer of his library table. He turned to Kate in explanation.

"That letter was written years ago, and I have often wondered why I received no reply. Why it was not mailed I do not know, but chance has given it into your hands. Read it, and give me the answer to the question I have asked." He turned to the window, looking with unseeing eyes out into the storm.

She was silent so long that he at last turned to her.

Holding the child close, she looked him with shining eyes. "I have been thinking I had received the letter when it was written, for we have lost five years of happiness."

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The local town to be a desirable place to live in must have police and fire protection, it must have bridges, improved streets, water, sewers and good schools. To secure these necessary improvements and to maintain them taxes must be levied. The local merchant pays a large share of the taxes.

Among other things, the local merchant is continually forced to contribute to all manner of charitable enterprises, both public and private. He is the local benefactor, inasmuch as he is the employer of labor. Numerous young men and women find employment in his store, and as the result of his investment and efforts many dollars find their way to the pocket of the doctor, the dentist, the editor, the druggist and the banker, all of which contributes to the social and financial

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The Boomerang

By HI AKERS

(Copyright, 1917, by W. G. Chapman.)

"Annabel, dear I—I prefer to buy my own things—I—"

"Harry! After I thought I was giving you such a nice surprise—and—"

Here the pretty face of the three-months' bride buried itself in a handkerchief, and was the next instant transferred to the cont collar of the remorseful young husband, who after restoring peace and harmony, gave one rueful glance at the collection of misfit underwear, out-of-date neckties, rainbow-hued socks, and fled.

Annabel had really given her husband a surprise, but not the "nice" one she expected. She had developed in bad case of the bargain counter malady, and had brought home such delectably cheap things for her darling Harry, she believed he would be delighted at her economical foresight. But the underwear was two sizes too small, and the kind he never wore. He abhorred green socks, and that color in ties was frightfully unbecoming to him.

Mrs. Harte put away the offending purchases, and concluded Harry was just a bit out of humor.

The next time she struck a bargain counter of men's furnishings, she couldn't resist buying something more for Harry. This time she knew he would be pleased. But he wasn't. He gently but firmly tried to make her promise not to do it any more.

"I just believe if you had married Mamie Beck instead of me, you'd have liked what she bought for you," pouted Mrs. Annabel.

"Mamie Beck!" snorted Harte. "I never thought of marrying her!"

"Oh yes you did, and you wouldn't have found fault with any nice little thing she wanted to do for you!"

Wherent there had to be more overtures of reconciliation, and again Harte fled from the bargain display including terrible pink shirts with reversible cuffs, and wondered what could be done to reform Annabel.

He loved his affectionate little wife, and was unselfish enough to stand considerable discomfort rather than make her unhappy; but his salary was only a moderate one, and the waste of money in buying useless articles was something that must be seriously considered.

Once when he had remonstrated with her, she had said: "But I don't

like to pay for things."

"I got them so cheap, dear, I couldn't resist buying them."

"Harry Harte! You know I never wear purple!" cried Annabel.

"Oh, don't you?" he responded with carefully assumed innocent surprise.

"And these stockings? Do you think I wear a number nine shoe?"

"They are a trifle large, aren't they?"

"A man never knows about such things. Please don't buy anything more."

It was Harte's turn to put on the hurt air, which he did with all due elaboration. Annabel certainly was devoid of a sense of humor. Nevertheless about two days later he appeared before his astonished wife with a pair of oversized gloves, and a hat of the vintage of 1910, which he told Annabel he had bought for her for next to nothing.

This was the last straw. Annabel overflowed with indignation.

"I see it all!" she stormed. "You want to make a perfect fright of me so people will sympathize with you for being tied up to such a rumpus, and so you can get a divorce and marry Mamie Beck!"

Harte's face expressed utter despair, this time not all assumed. His trumpet had failed.

"Well, I thought I was pleasing you," he said disconsolately. "I suppose if you had married Tom Bennett you'd have liked what he bought for you."

His retort was so nearly identical with her own on a previous occasion that suddenly a light seemed to break in on her.

Did he really care for her? But what about Mamie Beck, and what she had seen with her own eyes?

"Look here!" she cried. "You never bought such atrocious things as these! You couldn't have found them in a day's journey! You just got someone to do it."

"Yes, I did."

"Was it Mamie Beck?"

"Yes."

"And you went and told her everything!"

"Listen, dear! It was all accidental. We met on the street, she saw how miserable I looked, she drew it out of me, she only wanted us both to be happy again."

"Oh!"

The exclamation was dry and doubtful.

"Look here, Annabel! Everything she said and did was for—"

"For my good."

Something like that missing sense of humor began to twitch the corners of her mouth.

"Well—I guess she was right," said Annabel. "Ask her to dinner tomorrow. It's no more bargain counters or honey, honey—if you'll swear off."

The compact was not signed in words, but something much more expressive,

Harte let her know something of the reason for his unhappiness.

"Come home with me. Let us talk it over," she said.

The two walked on for several blocks and entered Mamie Beck's home together.

Meanwhile Annabel, the moment

Harte had left the house, had felt a sudden pang of remorse, and determined to dry her eyes, rush out, and get something she knew Harry especially liked for dinner. She meant to have it all ready for him when he came back, and to try to make amends for what she had said. She dressed, and started for the shop to make her purchases. Thank heaven there was no bargain counter there! Turning a corner, she gave a start! There was her husband with Mamie Beck, the two walking slowly, in earnest conversation. They were on the opposite side of the street, and they did not see her. She found herself following them. It was not a fine thing to do, not even very decent or honorable. But was she not his wife? That seemed to her to excuse it all.

She saw them enter Mamie Beck's home. This then was the solution!

He did care for this other woman!

He was tired of her so soon! Not yet married five months, and it was all over, the happiness, the love upon which she had built such wonderful castles of delight!

She did not go to the shop. What was the use? He might not even come to dinner. She went back, flung herself down, and wept and sobbed as never had she done before.

After a time she heard his latchkey in the door. She rose quickly and tried to bathe away the traces of her tears. She did not mean he should see how she had suffered, or that she had seen him with Mamie Beck.

She met her husband with an icy

reserve that left him very little opportunity for attempts at reconciliation.

The next morning, having thawed a little, he met her more than half way.

But as fate or some other psychological factor would have it, that very day she again saw Harry with Mamie Beck. They stood outside of a shop, and oh horrors! she saw him hand her money. There was no mistaking it for Mamie opened her purse and put it in, and both laughed heartily as they parted.

That evening Harry met his wife

more affectionately than ever. He had

a nice little surprise for her, and he

opened a parcel he had brought in.

He proudly displayed a purple shirt-

waist about two years out of date, a

pair of cheap, yellow silk stockings

several sizes too large, and a petticoat

built for a miss of fourteen.

He tried to preserve a strictly neutral exterior as he noted the look of dismay with which Annabel surveyed the articles.

"I got them so cheap, dear, I

couldn't resist buying them. I hope

you like the things. I had an awful

time getting them, there was such a

mob of women. But you see I did

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Speeches Made By Several Members and Good Meal Enjoyed By 150.

The Get-together Meeting of the Baptist Church male membership Tuesday night was attended by about 150 men and boys, including a few members of other churches whose wives are Baptists. Tables were arranged in the Sunday School room and the guests were seated to a two-course dinner served by the ladies of the Church.

A speaking program followed with Cinas. M. Meacham acting as presiding officer. Bailey Waller and C. E. Woodruff, delegates to the Laymen's Convention at Atlanta, were the principal speakers, their speeches being interesting reports of the work done at the convention. Geo. E. Gary, Pettus White and Dr. C. M. Thompson were the other speakers.

NO MORE FEES.

Tennessee has taken a step forward and abolished the fee system in paying officials. After Sept. 1, 1918, all officers will be paid in stated salaries and it is estimated that \$200,000 will be saved to the State. Such a law in Kentucky would save at least \$300,000 and still pay ample salaries. The fee system leads to all sorts of evils. Even murder cases have been compromised and reduced to a finable offense by officers who get hold of the fines. One advantage of a salary system is that an officer who neglects his business can have his salary stopped.

Commenting on this system, the Mayfield Messenger says: "Kentucky will never get out of debt and the counties and municipalities will never have any money on hand as long as the people are burdened by extravagant salaries and fees."

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